

COFFEY AND PISTOLS.

AN EX-HUSBAND FIRES TWO SHOTS AT HIS EX-WIFE.

A Poor Marksman at Short Range—The Woman Unhurt but Mightily Scared—Excitement at the Dime Museum—The Shooter Locked Up.

About 8 o'clock last night a couple of pistol shots, fired in rapid succession, were heard in the tent of the California Dime Museum, on Main street, near First, immediately following which a rather handsome young woman rushed out of the tent and up Main street, screaming, "I'm shot, I'm shot!" The street was filled with people, and in a few minutes a crowd of about 500 people had gathered about the tent, anxious to learn the cause of the shooting, and when Officer Fitch came out, leading a young man, and some said that he had attempted to murder his wife, excitement ran high, and some of the bolder spirits rushed toward the officer, crying out, "Kill him! kill him!" But Fitch got his man across the street, and started for the station, followed by the crowd, the woman also being brought along. Arriving at the station, Dr. Choate was telephoned for to attend to the woman, while the man, who gave the name of Harry E. Coffey, was locked up, charged with assault to murder. On the arrival of Dr. Choate, it was ascertained that the woman was not hurt, and she was sent home.

Immediately after the shooting a TIMES reporter called at the museum, when it was ascertained that the woman in the case was the divorced wife of Coffey, and that she had a very narrow escape, the shots being fired at very close range, in fact, the pistol almost touched her. The crowd, however, let passing through the canvas a few inches from where she was sitting, and the second passing through the roof, Coffey's hand being knocked up by the officer who made the arrest.

From the employee about the place it was learned that Coffey had come up to the box office and purchased a ticket, going inside. In the meantime Mrs. Coffey, who was a ticket-taker, had taken up her position at the door, when Coffey came up to her, drew his pistol, and with the remark, "Now, I have got you," fired, the bullet passing close to her head. She at once jumped up and screamed, when he fired a second shot, which flew wide of his mark. Officer Fitch, who happened to be in the tent, having knocked him down, he was taken into custody and placed him under arrest and took him to the station.

Mrs. Coffey was also interviewed by the reporter. She said that she was separated from her husband last January, since which time she had been around the museum, Mr. Doyle, the proprietor, being her brother-in-law. Coffey had repeatedly tried to induce her to live with him again, when she had refused to do so, as he was worthless, mistreated her and would not support her. He had followed her down here from San Francisco and was now on the passenger of the steamer Queen of the Pacific when she was wrecked, and from that time to this had made her life a burden to her by his persecutions. She had the custody of one child, and this also had seemed to annoy him. Coffey, she said, is a son of Detective Coffey of San Francisco and that his brother is the prosecuting attorney in Department No. 1 of that city, and in this city. Her husband, she said, had never supported her, and she would never live with him again.

Mrs. Coffey was very much excited during the recital of her story, and said that she only hoped that her ex-husband would be kept where he could do her no harm, as he had repeatedly threatened her with bodily injury. She denied most positively that there was any other man mixed up in this affair, and said that the only reason for the attempt to murder her was her refusal to again marry Coffey.

The case will come up before Justice Austin this morning.

ADMISSION DAY.

Very Quietly Observed in This City.

Admission day was more honored in the breach than in the observance yesterday. Some places of business and many offices were closed. The courts were not in session, the postoffice ran on Sunday time.

A small representation of the Eagle Corps marched out to their practice grounds for the annual shoot prescribed for the National Guard.

There was a celebration at Washington Gardens and a ball game at Prospect Park. The day was celebrated at the Second-street Park in very good style. In the afternoon there was a promenade concert and dancing in the pavilion, and beer and luncheon at libitum. The attendance was not very heavy.

In the evening a large crowd attended and had a good time. A long row of Chinese lanterns lit up the bank of the murky lake, and the pond geese sailed around it croaking in the darkness. More Chinese lanterns were hung tastefully around the pavilion, and fountains blazed among the fragrant cypripedium trees.

Dancing was held till about 8:30 p.m., when the fireworks display took place. It was very creditable, and viewed from the high banks made a pretty picture. The "Falls of Niagara" called forth the applause of the crowd, and the "Naval Battle" was a fine spectacle, though spoiled at the close by the torpedo tipping over and going out with a hiss. As a whole, the display gave much satisfaction.

After the fireworks the good-humored crowd danced on to the strains of Meine's orchestra, and the waiters were kept very busy till midnight.

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THE HON. "CAL."

A Political Lawyer Who Is a Patriot for Revenue.

Calvin Edgerton is a new convert to the Democratic party, and apparently a very zealous one, judging from the fierce and eager way in which he plunges into the new-fangled political vortex. At the first ratification meeting held by the esteemed foe in Los Angeles during the pending campaign, the Hon. Calvin erected himself on end and howled lustily for some of the White House chicken pie; and now it is reported that he is off on a raid after the flesh-pots of Egyptian darkness, that are supposed to be kept in the custody of the Hon. Bill English, in San Francisco. At least so an aggrieved client of Mr. Edgerton's reports. Mr. A. A. Graff, of Cass & Graff, No. 16 South Spring street, whose attorney Mr. Edgerton is, charges that his counsel has wandered off after strange Democratic gods and little fishes to the neglect of his clients' interests and the scandal of the legal profession. The specific offense of the new convert consists of his having accepted a retainer of \$2500 from the Democratic State Central committee for six weeks' labor with his able jaw in the cause of Democracy, free trade and Groverism. Mr. Graff, who was seen by a TIMES emissary yesterday, is indignant over having his legal interests sacrificed by his attorney, but says particular stress upon the peculiar quality of Mr. Edgerton's new-found faith, the pursuit of which prompts him to become a Democratic crusader for revenue only.

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HIS H. IN THE POLICE.

The Story of Prejudice Against Any Nationality Exploded.

The Trombone is nothing if not ridiculous, and in its frantic efforts to attract some public attention, and create the impression that it has some "influence" in public affairs, is constantly putting its foot into the mire every time it opens its mouth, so to speak. The latest attempt in this line was yesterday morning, when a weak effort was made to create capital against Mayor Workman and Mr. Humphreys by attempting to show that there was unfair discrimination against citizens of Irish birth in the appointment of police officers. To begin with, very nearly one-half of the present force are either Irishmen by birth, or born of Irish parents, as against four Spaniards, two Germans, two Frenchmen, one Italian and one Norwegian; the remainder of the force being composed of Americans. The Chief is an Irishman, and no one will accuse him of standing idly by and seeing undue discrimination practiced against that nationality, but as a matter of fact, the question has never been raised, even by the Irishmen, themselves, that they have not had their fair share of representation.

As to the eight men who were recently requested to resign, the commissioners probably had good grounds for their action in the matter, and perhaps, as good reasons for putting them back again. Just what those reasons are is perhaps best known to the commissioners, or at least they should be, but it has been stated on very good authority that a list of 12 or 13 names had been prepared by the Captain and sergeants, at the instance of the commissioners, which was submitted to Chief Cuddy, and that official checked off the names of those that he preferred to see go; in other words, that the final selection of those who had to go was left to him. It is probable that several of those taken off should not have been removed, and it is more than likely that political reasons cut a very large part in the reinstatement of those who were given back their stars, judging from the number of ineffectual "politicians" who visited the Mayor's office in their interest, but at the same time it goes without saying that the force could be very materially improved by a still further judicious pruning, on the reports of the officers whose duty it is to look after the men.

As to the McGrath matter, it is probable that the reputation of Mayor Workman and Mr. Humphreys for truth and honesty is sufficient to protect them from any insinuations that their actions were influenced by Ah Sam, or any other Chinese, and that the denial is sufficient to set this matter at rest.

LITTLE INTERVIEWS.

Some Pithy Observations on Cleveland's Letter.

Cleveland's letter of acceptance was not even appreciated by some of the Democrats. If one can judge by the sizing up an old follower of the mossback party gave it yesterday. He has held several prominent offices at the hands of the Democracy of Southern California, and is considered a close observer of political signs. In conversation with a TIMES reporter he said:

"I am surprised to see that Mr. Cleveland has made such a mess of his letter. It is not only weak, but it is poorly written, and he does not touch on the only questions of importance in this campaign. I am of the opinion that he would have been much better off had he forgotten to write this letter."

"I have always had a great deal of respect for Cleveland, for I believe that he has done some good; but the second-term fever has captured him, and his desire to please the whole people has made a coward of him. In the past his nerve and backbone have proved his redeeming feature; for one can say that he is a statesman; but his letter proves him a coward and a sniveling office-seeker of the most pronounced type, and I think thousands of good men who voted for him four years ago will step up to the polls next November and vote against him."

O. O. Trantum: I read enough of it to see that it was a weak distortion of his November message. I expected to see rather more in the way of apology and taking the back track on the tariff measure, but I suppose the southern leaders wouldn't let him do it. The letter will do the interior Cleveland's campaign a particle. If Gen. Harrison don't say more in his letter of acceptance in a half column than Cleveland says in his whole communication I shall be disappointed.

L. N. Breed: I have not read Mr. Cleveland's letter as yet, but will try and take time to look it over during the next day or two. I do not look for anything of a particularly startling nature, and I don't think that I will be disappointed.

Col. Frankfield: I have not read the letter in full, but as far as I have gone it struck me as just about the sort of document that Cleveland would send out. It is, as far as I can judge, wishy-washy and ineffectual on every point. I don't think that it will help his party any, but that, on the contrary, it will do it positive harm.

Ex-Senator Cole: It's a muddy thing. Cleveland is incapable of expressing a clear idea, and this last effort of his is especially mixed. I suppose it has been worked over and over again, and submitted to all of his close friends for suggestions. Probably he is retaining a few of his original ideas, and these have been amended to the verge of imbecility.

Maj. George H. Bonebrake: I do not think anything of it, but I think it is a weak message to Congress. Cleveland bodes some on the tariff question. There is little in it of interest.

J. H. Book: It is devoid of force. I see nothing in it new, startling or vigorous. Cleveland evidently tries to retrench upon the tariff question, and also states that he is not a free-trader.

E. P. Sutherland: I have read the letter, and I consider it very weak. I think it will cut no figure in the coming campaign, and will not add materially to the Democratic strength. The poorest stump-speaker would riddle it to pieces in a few minutes.

J. M. Meredith: I consider it the weakest specimen of a letter that was ever published. It will amount to nothing. J. W. Green: It is a botch from beginning to end.

C. F. Rutan: It is very weak, and should be consigned to the waste basket.

M. H. Shepard: Grover is trying to hoodwink the laboring class with the idea that he is their friend, but they will not be fooled by his bait.

John A. Kelly: I have read the letter. It is a fraud, and will not amount to anything.

John Morton: It contains nothing new whatever.

Thomas A. Cook: I would not be caught reading such a flimsy letter of acceptance.

N. B. Walker: It is the poorest I ever read.

S. K. Adams: It is so weak that it is liable to fall down.

Sutherland Hutton: My opinion is it is of no significance whatever.

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A MIXED FIGHT.

A Wagon-load of Mexicans Enjoy Themselves on Aliso Street.

Last night, about 7 o'clock, a telephone message was received at the police station, saying that a crowd of Mexicans were having a free fight in a wagon in front of the hosehouse, on Aliso street, and Officer Jackson was sent out to investigate. In about three-quarters of an hour the officer returned, driving a two-horse team, in which were a couple of Mexicans, an American, and Deputy Constable Arguello. One of the Mexicans, who gave the name of José U. Lugo, had a scratch on the side of his face, but none of the others bore any marks of a conflict. Jackson stated that the men had got to fighting in the wagon, and had fallen out, and when he got there he had to pull them apart. All of the men denied that they had any difficulty, but that, on the contrary, they were all good friends, and, as it was very dark, Jackson could not positively identify any of the men, but finally singled out Lugo, who, he says, he was positive was in the fight, and he was about to be locked up when Arguello said that he would be responsible for his appearance, when he was booked for fighting and released by Chief Cuddy on his own recognizance. It was a rather mixed-up affair all around, and the three of the men should have been arrested, but the officer said that he could not get any one to help him, and, in the confusion incident to getting them apart, could not positively identify them. Lugo claims that the mark on his face was made by falling from the wagon.

A Mexican Veteran's Residence.

F. E. Bartlett, a well-known resident of Santa Barbara, and formerly owner of Bartlett's canon, committed suicide at the Morristown, Santa Barbara, last week, by drinking about four grains of strychnine. The deceased was about 70 years of age. He served in the Mexican war as a volunteer in the United States Cavalry and was present at the capture of the City of Mexico.

OUT FOR A LARK.

SOME GIDDY GIRLS WHO CREATED SENSATIONS.

A Pair from San Bernardino Who Went in for a Prolonged Specie-A Gawked Brace of Mashers.

A week seldom passes without bringing to the attention of the public, or more properly speaking those of the public who have time to indulge in gossip, the wild doings of young men and women of wealth who are as tame and proper as Sunday-school teachers in their own little towns.

In a small town it is impossible for young people to sprinkle a dash of wickedness in their chase after pleasure for the reason that everyone knows what everybody else is doing. For this reason numbers of people who cannot afford to be bad at home seek the nearest big city, and the way they then proceed around with the devil is a caution.

There are a number of small towns around Los Angeles, whose young people to a certain extent go on the principle that crime is graded according to the publicity given it. They believe that no sin amounts to the snap of one's finger unless it is made public, to the damage of the sinner. This modern belief is fast sinking thousands of young men, aye, and women too, into the lowest depths of vice.

A few days ago, a couple of young ladies, who have magnificent homes in San Bernardino, and whose relatives are very wealthy, came to Los Angeles to have a good time, and from all accounts they had it to a queen's taste.

One of them was left an orphan a short time ago, and she has quite a large fortune in her own name. When they reached the depot they took a hack and drove to one of the city hotels in the North Main street, north of the St. Elmo, where they secured magnificent rooms.

After changing their traveling dresses for handsome street costumes they started out on a shopping expedition, and they did not follow in the tracks of their sisters. They passed by several fashionable dry goods stores and did not even turn their heads or slacken their pace when they passed a high-toned hat shop. They tripped merrily along until they reached a well known wholesale liquor establishment, when they stopped in. They spent about 20 minutes in the place, and just as they left the store a gentleman who once lived in San Bernardino saw them come out. He was surprised, and his curiosity caused him to enter the store. After a little careful questioning he succeeded in learning that they had ordered a big stock of wines and fancy liquors to be sent to their rooms, and he went on to inquire why they should spend so much money for liquor, so he made up his mind to investigate further. He knew that they belonged to the most respectable families in San Bernardino, and he had seen them in one of the fashionable churches teaching Sunday-school classes, and to save his life he could not understand their antics.

He tried to wait for them, but they did not appear, so he went on to the subject, for they had not walked over a block when he noticed them throwing their glances around in a style that would have put a Kearny-street chippie to shame. Soon they attracted the attention of a couple of clerks in a big Main-street house. The clerks picked up their ears, gave their silken mustaches an extra twist, and followed them to the rear of the building.

The girls giggled, blushed, and walked slower than ever, until they reached a spot on the sidewalk that was almost deserted, when they turned suddenly to the left and were soon, to all appearances, deeply engaged in studying the mysteries of gentlemen's furnishing goods.

The clerks noticed this move on the part of the fair ones, and were soon alongside. For the space of five minutes eight pairs of eyes gazed with great interest on neckties, etc., where one of the young men addressed the girls, and they were soon talking as if they had known each other for years.

The four seekers after pleasure were soon in the girls' rooms, and for four or five days and nights high jinks were indulged in, to the satisfaction of the girls from San Bernardino.

Several visits were made to the Flag Cottage, and on one or two occasions the girls were seen on the streets in a state of intoxication that drew the insults of more than one tough on their heads. Both girls are rather pretty, and during their stay in this city they had the height of fashion.

They brought their spree to a close Sunday and left for home yesterday.

ANOTHER STRANGE COUPLE.

Another strange couple from the rural districts appeared on the streets last week. They were evidently from the poorer classes, and if one could judge from their peculiar make-up, they were on their first visit to a city.

They were decked out in red hair and freckles that loomed up like iron filings on a mildewed sheet, like Mr. Hubbards, blue ribbons about the middles, No. 8 shoes, and their voices could be heard three blocks when the girls thought they were whispering.

They were evidently sisters, and they towered up in the air to the extent of about six feet.

Where they came from no one seemed to know. They first put in an appearance on the streets about the middle of last week, and from early morn until late at night they might have been seen prancing up and down the principal thoroughfares.

They created no end of amusement, for they were more than anxious to flirt, or, in common parlance, "mash." As they ambled along they kept their eyes twinkling side to side, and whenever they caught anything in the shape of a dude looking at them they smiled in a manner which seemed to invite the blood to follow them. Whether or not they were successful in any instance is not known, but it is very certain that they created more merriment than any couple who have appeared on the streets for some time past. They have not been seen for several days, and it is feared by the boys that some of the protectors of female innocence have rathered them in.

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A MULTIPLYING FRAUD.

Ingenuous Method to Make a Swindle Run Alone.

Members of the local organization of the King's Daughters, which embraces some of the foremost ladies in the city, request the publication of the following exposure of a fraud, which is evidently designed to impose upon the benevolence in the name of their order. The exposed, which appeared in the San Francisco Chronicle on the 7th inst. is as follows:

Attention has been drawn by the Chronicle to the fact that certain ingenuous individuals, mostly in the Eastern States, have struck a new vein from whence they are drawing a large revenue with a minimum of trouble to themselves. The day the ordinary, every-day beggar impostor has passed away; now a letter calculated to loosen the purse strings of the material families—for it is that, and generally applied to most, is artistically composed, as well as to appeal to her tenderness of heart.

The number of letters recently circulated in this city and neighborhood, have completed with both of these conditions, and in every instance help is asked in "sweet charity's name" for some religious object which in itself is truly worthy of support. Rather strangely, these begging epistles emanate for the most part from the East, and invariably the signature of any one responsible for the document is conspicuous by its absence. By a most ingenious way of working, each letter is made to yield an indefinite income, and in this particular is in marked contrast with the old style of begging letter.

Following is a copy of a letter recently received:

No. 5.

"For His sake and in His name." An effort is being made by St. — Parish, Milwaukee, to make a large room for gospel work during the coming winter. It is also desirable that accommodations be provided for a limited number of the poor and destitute, who are, too often, quite de-

pendant on outside help for sustenance for several months in the year. A plan has been adopted, with the sanction of the rector, to supplement the efforts being put forth by Christian workers here to obtain the necessary funds for the building. Will you help in the good work? You may do so at little cost or inconvenience to yourself by making two copies of this paper, placing at the top of each the next highest number to that on this and send to two friends, who are requested to do the same. At the same time return this paper, inclosing 10 cents in 3-cent stamps, to Mrs. Josephine Lowe, 947 Nineteenth street, Milwaukee.

The person receiving No. — is asked to send it, with 10 cents, without making further copies. Any one declining to aid in this plan is requested to return this paper to Mrs. Lowe as soon as possible, as this is the only way she can know the chain is broken. Though the plan only means 10 cents and a little trouble to each person, any break in the chain will result in serious loss to the work being entered upon at the King's command and in His name.

The foregoing letter bore no date, and was received by a lady in this city from a friend in Virginia City, who had received No. 4 from a friend in Chicago. When the letter was received the recipient in San Francisco neither obeyed the injunction to make copies of it and send them to friends, nor returned the copy she had herself received back to headquarters. It appearing to bear internal evidence of fraud she retained it and turned it over to a Chronicle reporter.

The first suspicious feature about this letter and others of a similar character is being generally distributed, is that the words "In His Name" is the motto adopted by the King's Daughters, the organization that within a short space of time has girdled the globe with the gleam of its emblematic silver cross "In His Name." As most people are aware, the King's Daughters are divided into tens, and they take as the central idea the truism that "ten times one is ten," and the inspiration that one Christian life must win ten other lives is thus multiplied ten fold. If, of ten so influenced, each in his turn influenced ten others, the multiplying circle would eventually embrace the whole population of the country.

This ingenious idea had also been made subservient to the needs of the writer of the letter alluded to. The idea was a grand one, and afforded infinite possibilities in the way of monetary returns.

It is like an interesting arithmetical study to calculate the result of 10 letters such as the foregoing, each dispatched to a different section of country. Should no mishap befall the missives, or no too curious lady be sensible enough to inquire through 20 sets of hands the modest 10 letters would have swollen into a mighty total of 10,570,440 letters, ostensibly asking for help for gospel work, but in reality intended to line the pockets of a bold and ingenious swindler. Should each recipient obey the request and forward 10 cents, from an outlay of 10 3-cent stamps for posting the original letters an income would be received of \$1,048,574. It will thus be seen that the idea is practically unlimited to the evil-disposed, and henceforward it will be of all such letters as are detected and "the chain broken," unless duly authenticated.

TIE AND TRACK.

The Rush of Railroad Travel Forecast.

A prominent railroad man said yesterday to a TIMES reporter:

"The rush of people to Southern California will begin with the Old Fellows' celebration, and if I am not greatly mistaken it will be kept up until late in the winter. I have watched things very closely this summer and I am confident that double the number of people who have visited us in any one season will put in an appearance this winter."

"We all know that thousands of eastern people have been in the habit of spending the winter in Florida, but the yellow fever will keep them away this year, and I am confident that they will come here."

"The Burlington railroad people are getting more letters of inquiry about Southern California than ever before. I believe there will be between 150,000 and 200,000 strangers in Los Angeles between now and the 1st of February."

"Not only will there be more people here than ever before, but \$3 will be spent in real estate for every \$1 that was spent two years ago. Everything points to prosperity, and our people are confident that Los Angeles will grow more rapidly during the next six months than during double that length of time in the past."

President Germain of the Board of Trade is in receipt of letters from J. C. Stubbs, general traffic manager of the Southern Pacific railway, confirming the offer of half rates on local lines during the Old Fellows' encampment. Mr. Stubbs says:

"Round trip tickets to Los Angeles and return at half rates will be sold from all stations on the Pacific system, beginning with Monday next (yesterday), good going until September 18th, and returning until September 30th, which means that the journey to Los Angeles must be completed by the 18th, and the return journey must be completed on or before the 30th instant." Mr. Stubbs adds that the limit provided for going and returning on these tickets in the telegram to Mr. Smurr will only apply over our long hauls. A ten-day limit will be prescribed for tickets to and from the territory adjacent to Los Angeles, say Santa Barbara, Indio and the respective termini of our several branches radiating from Los Angeles.

J. S. Tebbets of the Union Pacific road, has issued the following circular: "Arrangements have been completed between the Southern Pacific Company and this company for a daily family sleeping-car service between Council Bluffs and Los Angeles, each company furnishing its quota of first-class, modern cars, the Southern Pacific's quota being in charge of and fitted up by Mr. Eli Denison, Oakland, Cal., and this company's quota by Messrs. Barkalow Bros., Omaha."

"These cars will be fitted up complete with mattresses, curtains, blankets and pillows, requiring nothing to be furnished by passengers."

"Uniformed porters will accompany these cars, whose duty it will be to keep the cars in good order and attend to the comfort of passengers, same as Pullman porters."

"A charge of \$2.50 for an upper or lower half section will be made between Council Bluffs and Los Angeles, and a maximum charge of 50 cents a night between intermediate stations."

"Only passengers holding second-class tickets will be allowed to occupy these cars."

"No smoking will be allowed in these cars."

"Accommodations for cars on this line can be secured in advance (same as Pullman accommodations) through M. J. Greevy, passenger agent, Union Pacific transfer, and tickets for space will be on sale in our ticket offices at Council Bluffs, Omaha and principal offices along the line."

"These cars will commence to run Sunday, September 9th, and daily thereafter, leaving Council Bluffs on train No. 1, 'the Pacific Express,' and running through to Los Angeles without change."

Mr. Harris, the Southern Pacific Company's detective who has been stationed here, will leave for San Francisco today. In the future his headquarters will be in Oakland. His successor in Los Angeles will be William Smith, who made quite a reputation during Mr. Harris' chase after Larry Sherhan and Dick Hart, the train robbers who were killed at San Jacinto. The Atlantic and Pacific road has just received a number of new cars to be used between Los Angeles and Albuquerque. During the next three weeks they will add about 500 new cars to their rolling stock.

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POINTS OF THE MORNING'S NEWS.

Admission day celebrated in California... Maine goes Republican by an increased majority... A train bearing Grand Army excursionists wrecked, and several killed and many wounded... An inundation at Savannah, Ga... Auction sales of California fruits at Chicago... Funeral of Lester Wallace... A wreck near the Cliff House... Resignation of President Harris of the Northern Pacific... Prairie fires in Montana... The coffee market excited at Hamburg... The Grand Army men at Columbus... More comments on Cleveland's letter of acceptance... Heavy forgery at Lynn, Mass... Count Mikiewicz thinks China will ratify the new treaty... Statement of the treasury surplus... Races at Brighton Beach and Chicago... Yesterday's baseball games... Crop conditions for August... Proceedings in Senate and House... A Colorado village burned... Meeting of the Mexican Congress... Contest of the National Rifle Association at New York... Large subscriptions for the yellow fever sufferers... Scenes among the ruins of Sunday's fire at San Francisco... The new Governor-General of Canada on the fisheries trouble... A Utah school teacher's fearful fall over a precipice... Resignation of Dr. Mays of the Stockton Asylums... The Methodist Conference at Pacific Grove... Montana Democratic Convention.

PROHIBITIONISTS are coming over to the Republican party almost as rapidly as the Democrats.

The Republican tariff bill is expected to be reported to the full Finance Committee tomorrow.

The Chattanooga Times thinks that the recent cold-blooded murder of twenty colored men at Freedtown, La., was "inopportune." "Inopportune" is good.

NATURAL gas, which there is some talk of finding in Los Angeles, is not an unmixed blessing. In three years it has caused in Pennsylvania seventy-three fires, costing \$900,000.

A CAREFUL canvas of New York State has been made by the Republican leaders, and they seem confident in the belief that Harrison will carry the State by a plurality of 20,000. Divide that number by ten and it will still be good enough.

THERE is a man in Kentucky who weighs 792 pounds and who weighed 206 pounds when he was two years old. It is a wonder the Democrats didn't run him for President and get a centenary "living skeleton" to occupy the second place on the ticket. The Democratic managers have not half appreciated the dramatic possibilities of the campaign.

ODD FELLOWS' SPECIAL EDITION.

THE TIMES is preparing to issue a special edition upon the important occasion of the coming of the Odd Fellows to Los Angeles next week.

It will be a large paper, containing a several-column descriptive sketch of the order, general, State and local, together with an account of the proceedings, parade, personnel and other doings of the brethren while among us as our guests.

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MAINE.

Oregon, Vermont, and now Maine! One by one the States wheel into line with increasing Republican majorities. Cleveland's retaliation buncombe don't seem to have had much effect upon the long-headed men of Maine, who have come out with a bigger majority than ever for Republicanism and protection. More than 20,000 plurality for the Republican candidate for Governor, the largest since 1866; a solid Republican delegation elected to Congress; every State Senator and four-fifths of the Representatives in the Legislature Republican; and finally, every county in the State carried by the Republicans on the popular vote. This is the sort of news that makes Republicans smile and Democrats think. Men and brethren! let us advance all along the line!

Prohibition.

If the practical Prohibitionists were really in earnest regarding the suppression of the liquor evil, desiring that reform above their own personal interests, it is evident that they would be glad to see the good work done in the most direct, speedy and practical manner, whether by themselves or by others. Such, however, is notoriously very far from being the case. Judged by this test, the Prohibitionists are not humanitarians or philanthropists, but selfish seekers after notoriety.

Christ to his disciples not to interfere with a man whom they found doing miracles in his name, but the Prohibitionists take a different ground. They had rather that liquor reform should be postponed for a century than that it should be effected by any agency outside of their own limited party. This is a strong charge to make, but the stern logic of recent events—the admissions of prominent Prohibition orators and organs—justify us in making it, and we challenge the Prohibition leaders to gainsay it.

The third party is confessedly unable to effect anything at this election beyond the possibility of assisting the victory of the liquor party. The Republican party, which has declared in favor of the purity of the home, is both willing and able to do much, but the Prohibitionists are unwilling to let it. They are always preaching about a sacrifice of party to principle; why do they not set an example of what they preach? Votes for Prohibition candidates cannot possibly increase the area of prohibitory territory a single mile, close a single saloon, or secure needed legislation, either now or in the immediate future, while votes for Republican nominees may in some cases drive the liquor business from an entire State. How, then, if they are sincere in their professions, can they reconcile it with their consciences to cast their votes away and thus retard the good work to which they are professedly devoted? Is this sacrificing party to principle? Is it not rather a blind and selfish pursuit of narrow party ends, at all hazards? We ask honest temperance men to judge. They are fond of asserting that they vote as they pray, but their actions belie their words.

Wool.

The most important article affected by the Mills bill is undoubtedly wool. Republican wool-growers are found to be very bitter partisans this campaign, and the most faithful Bourbon sheep men find it difficult to enthrone for Cleveland. Many of them, in fact, have come out openly for Harrison and more will undoubtedly do so before the campaign closes.

There is nothing remarkable about this. The most enthusiastic adherents of a political faith will wince and waver when the party to which they belong strikes a blow at the foundation of the business upon which they depend for a living. This is just what the Democrats propose to do to the wool industry. In 1880 the production of wool

in this country aggregated 60,000,000 pounds. The Morrill tariff, which afforded protection against the cheap wool of foreign countries, has caused the production to increase to 280,000,000 pounds in 1887. There would have been no such increase as this without the tariff. If Australian wool is admitted free, the California wool-growers will have to go out of the business and enter upon some other calling. Thus the vote of the California wool-growers this fall is intimately bound up with his financial interests—so intimately, in fact, that it is too much to expect that he should jeopardize his own and his family's comfort by voting for a party which proposes to destroy his means of livelihood. Democratic and Republican wool-growers are of one opinion on this subject.

A Fraudulent Party.

The Prohibition party is a party of great pretensions, but what has it accomplished—what real influence has it, except to promote the domination of the whisky ring and the liquor saloon political party? Prohibition as a principle has made great strides during the past ten years, but how much has the third party had to do with this advance? Look at these figures:

In 1880, Kansas gave 92,302 votes for prohibition, but had no "prohibitory party."

In 1882, Iowa gave 155,436 votes for prohibition, but, like Kansas, at that time was not blessed with a "prohibitory party."

In 1883, Ohio gave 323,129 votes for prohibition, of which \$862 came from a "prohibitory party."

In 1884, Maine gave 70,783 votes for prohibition, of which 1151 came from the "party."

In 1886, Massachusetts gave for prohibition (nominally anti-liquor) 160,782 votes, with the "party" casting 8251 votes.

In 1886, Rhode Island gave 15,100 votes for prohibition and 2585 for "party."

The above six States gave a total aggregate vote in favor of prohibition of 766,593, and their aggregate "party" vote at the same time was only 20,349. Does not this show what a humbug the political Prohibition party is? Does it not prove what THE TIMES has so frequently asserted, that, instead of being a pioneer or leader in the principle whose name it has usurped, it merely exists to support a few adventurers and renegades, whose labors in the good cause are for revenue only?

The Chinese are preparing a fruit-packing establishment in San Francisco. They are also leasing fruit farms on a large scale in the interior. This is the beginning of a movement which may grow, unless checked. The Chinese have monopolized nearly all the business of Hawaii, Singapore, Saigon and other places where they succeeded in obtaining a firm foothold. In this State they have gradually absorbed a large portion of the shoemaking, tobacco, underclothing, laundry, pork, fishing and other industries. Should they make up their minds to go for the fruit business, they will get it. They can do this by utilizing contract and slave labor, which the laws forbid our people to use. The Chinese must, or all avenues of honorable employment will eventually be closed to the rising generation in this State, and our prisons and reformatories will be filled to overflowing.

ADVICES from Afghanistan say that Ishak Khan and followers are advancing on Cabul, and that Abdurrahman Khan, the Ameer, is ill. We shall probably soon receive a Cabul-gram to the effect that the whole affair is a mere Khan-Khan. Not many scholars have been able to understand these internal Asiatic disorders. Anyhow, as long as the Akhond is well and virile the country may, we presume, be considered comparatively safe, unless Bulgaria and Schleswig-Holstein should make a combined raid upon Swat. Such a rash proceeding would undoubtedly rupture the *entente cordiale* and knock the status quo into the middle of next week.

PROTECTIONISTS claim and free-traders deny that one of the first results of the enactment of such a measure as the Mills bill would be the enhancement of the cost of foreign products. [The following from the St. James Gazette shows that the protectionists are right, and demolishes one of the arguments used by Cleveland in his letter of acceptance:]

"The passing by the United States House of Representatives of the Mills Tariff Bill, which places in plates on the free list, has led to a sharp rise in the price of tin. Yesterday Straits touched \$29 7/8, 6d. cash, and \$29 1/2, three months. This is an advance of from \$14 to \$15 on the figures quoted recently. If the Senate passes the bill in its present form, tin will command higher prices than have ruled of late, and a great impetus will be given to an important branch of manufacture in this country."

The damage caused by the destruction of our forests is exemplified at Lake Tahoe, which is now lower than it was ever known to be, and there is even some danger that the Truckee River may run dry. We have always had such a superabundance of timber in Northern California that little care has been taken of it. Now, however, it is time for regulations to be enforced which will preserve our rapidly disappearing timber supply from destruction.

In order to get a crowd it is necessary for the Democracy to announce an anti-Chinese meeting, as was the case last Saturday evening. Poor old Democracy! It will take a class to see what is left of them after November, and they will view the wreck through the bottom of it—the glass, not the wreck.

AMUSEMENTS.

AT THE OPERA-HOUSE.—Tonight the world-renowned Herrmann opens at the Grand. An entertainment of this kind pleases everybody, old and young. It is innocent, surprising, and full of pretty tricks to catch the wise and the wary. Herrmann brings with him d'Alvini, a wonderful juggler, and is ably assisted by Mme. Herrmann.

AT THE PAVILION.—"The Silbons" are still the attraction at the Pavilion, and have added, with their second week, one or two minor attractions, and are drawing good house nights.

WASHINGTON.

An Exciting Colloquy in the Senate.

Mitchell Refers to the Bilibonous Propensities of Morgan.

The Chinese Restriction Bill Goes Over Without a Vote.

How the President Managed to Get His Big Figures on the Surplus—The Irrigation Question in the House—Other Washington News.

By Telegram to The Times.

WASHINGTON (D.C.), Sept. 10.—[By the Associated Press.] In the Senate, the resolution for printing additional copies of the report of the Pacific Railroad Commission, offered by Mr. Turpie, gave rise to a discussion as to the number already printed.

Sensors McCullom and McPherson referred to the impression that there was a desire to suppress the circulation of that report.

Mr. Gorman, member of the Committee on Printing, declared that there was no ground for such impression, as the usual number (1000) had been printed and delivered to the Senators. An additional number of 500, proposed by Turpie, was increased to 5000, and the resolution was then referred to the Committee on Printing.

The resolution heretofore offered by Mr. Vest on the subject of campaign work by employees of the Senate was taken up. Mr. Plumb moved to lay it on the table.

Discussion on the resolution was interrupted, when the conference report on the Fortification Bill was presented and agreed to.

A bill to establish three additional land officers in Colorado was reported and placed on the calendar. Mr. Plumb withdrew his motion to lay Vest's resolution on the table, and the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Morgan introduced a bill appropriating \$726,619 to be paid to the Chinese Mining Association at Washington as full indemnity for all losses incurred by the Chinese subjects who have been "in remote, unsettled regions of the United States victims of injuries in their persons and property at the hands of lawless men," and proceeded to address the Senate in explanation and advocacy of it, and on the subject of the pending bill for absolute prohibition of Chinese immigration.

Mr. Morgan said that he had reached the conclusion that the will of the American people as to the total exclusion of Chinese subjects was an irrevocable decree, and that that exclusion must be effected through the operation of a law, not through that of a treaty. A question that was put to Mr. Morgan by Mr. Mitchell was whether he was for an attempt to draw him into a political discussion, and he said he had no objection. "I believe," said he, "that after you nominated Harrison for the Presidency, the Chinese Government, with knowledge of his record, believed that by delaying the question until after the November election it might get an administration that would be favorable to Chinese immigration."

"I do not believe," Mr. Mitchell replied, "that there is a single, solitary mind in the United States of America that honestly believes any such thing."

"The Senator," said Mr. Morgan, "is very flippant in the use of that word 'honestly.' I have just stated that I believed it, and the Senator undertakes to say that I do not believe it."

"I do not believe that the Senator does believe it," said Mr. Mitchell.

"I will be interrupted by a man of your character impeaching my honesty," Mr. Morgan indignantly exclaimed.

"So far as my character is concerned," Mr. Morgan's response, "I am prepared to parallel it with that of the Senator from Alabama, either here or elsewhere."

"I expected some interference of this kind when stating this question," said Mr. Morgan. He then went on to discuss the Chinese Exclusion Bill, and declared his intention to vote for a reconsideration of the vote passing it, in order to have the bill amended, and also to have it amended in other particulars, so as to make it more perfect and useful than it is in its present shape. He then took up the question of the nine Senators out of ten were in favor of the pending bill.

At the close of Mr. Morgan's speech his bill was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

violated or abrogated any portion of a treaty, that act became a law of the Nation and an abrogation of all treaties with that country, and the Chinese Government might at once, according to the rules of civilized nations, declare all those treaties null and void. There was no question about that. It had already excited the conservative mind of the people of the United States. They had not gone crazy on the question, and they did not want anything done to China that would not be done to any other country. Was it wise, he asked, for the United States to put itself in a position in which the Chinese Government might properly put an end entirely to all treaty and commercial relations with that great country. The gentleman from the Pacific Coast ought to remember that they were but a part of this country, and while Senators were willing to adopt extreme measures for the exclusion of the Chinese race, still they must insist as representatives of a law-abiding people, that this must be done in an orderly manner, and that no unusual course must be taken in dealing with China.

Without action on the bill the Senate adjourned.

House.—Several bills were introduced, including one by Mr. Henderson of North Carolina to check and nullify the baneful operations of trusts.

The House resumed consideration of the conference report on the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill. The pending Senate amendment was the appropriation of \$230,000 for the purpose of investigating the extent to which the arid regions of the United States can be reclaimed by irrigation, and reserving the property of the United States all lands which may be designated for reservoirs and canals for irrigation.

The pending motion was that made by Mr. Forney of Alabama protesting against the amendment entering upon a project which would result in the expenditure of the sum of \$200,000,000.

Mr. Bacon of New York took advantage of the debate to deliver a speech on the subject of trusts.

At the conclusion of his remarks Mr. Marsh of Pennsylvania reported the conference report on the Army Appropriation Bill. It was agreed to.

The Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill was then again taken up, and after a discussion of the arid land amendment, without decision the House adjourned.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

A Senatorial Squabble to Be Kept From the Record.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—[By the Associated Press.] The heated, unparliamentary and personal expressions used in debate by Senators Morgan and Mitchell today have, upon reflection and upon the counsel of mutual friends, been struck from the Congressional Record.

THE HEAVY PURCHASE OF UNITED STATES bonds last week caused a marked decline in the treasury surplus, which fell from \$110,000,000 last Monday to \$103,950,000, as stated in the Treasurer's statement of today. The discrepancy between this amount and the surplus as stated in the President's letter of acceptance (\$130,000,000) is probably due to the fact that the President includes about \$25,000,000 in fractional silver coin on hand as a part of the surplus, while the treasury officials do not.

CROP CONDITIONS.

The report of the Department of Agriculture up to September 1st makes the average condition of corn 94.3, wheat 77.3, oats 87.2, rye 92.8, barley 86.9, buckwheat 93.7, potatoes 91.6, and tobacco 87. The winter wheat States show a slight improvement in the last report of conditions (July), but there has been a serious drought in the spring wheat region of the Northwest. The average for California is 85, and for Oregon 84.

BASE-BALL.

Chicago Wins Its Third Straight Game from Boston.

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—[By the Associated Press.] The home team won its third straight game from the Boston today by superior fielding. Score: Chicago, 8; Boston, 3. Batteries: For Chicago, Crook and Farrell; for Boston, Sowders and Tate.

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 10.—The Philadelphia and Pittsburgh played two games today. Both games were remarkable contests of skill. Score: First game—Pittsburgh, 1; Philadelphia, 0. Batteries: For Pittsburgh, Gentry and Carter; for Philadelphia, Buffington and Clements. Second game—Pittsburgh, 0; Philadelphia, 1. Batteries: For Pittsburgh, Galvin and Miller; for Philadelphia, Sanders and Shriver.

DETROIT, Sept. 10.—The Senators were defeated today in an uninteresting game. The fielding on both sides was bad. Score: Detroit, 7; Washington, 3. Batteries: For Detroit, Keefe and Deasley.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 10.—Good hitting and base-running won the game for the home team today. Score: Indianapolis, 4; New York, 3. Batteries: For Indianapolis, Burdick and Daily; for New York, Keefe and Murphy.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 10.—Brooklyn, 2; Cleveland, 0. Batteries: For Brooklyn, Keefe and Deasley; for Cleveland, Keefe and Deasley.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 10.—Athletics, 7; Baltimore, 0.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 10.—Cincinnati, 2; Kansas City, 3.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

A London Paper on Cleveland's Letter.

The President Engaged in a Free-trade Crusade.

Canada's New Governor-General Talks About Retaliation.

How Davitt's Late Attack on the Gladstone Party Is Regarded—A Corner in the Hamburg Coffee Market—A Disastrous Earthquake—Foreign Notes.

By Telegram to The Times.

LONDON, Sept. 3.—[By Cable and Associated Press.] The Chronicle says: "The fisheries question from the letter of acceptance of President Cleveland is strong testimony as to the purely factitious character of the rejection of the treaty. It is impossible to doubt that the rejection of President Cleveland would mean the eventual revival and ratification of the treaty. It is immaterial to discuss what President Cleveland's crusade should be called. He may give it any name he likes as long as we know it is in fact a crusade for free trade."

DOMINION FISHERIES TALK.

TORONTO, Sept. 10.—The Governor-General and Lady Stanley arrived here today. This afternoon Lord Stanley, expressing his disappointment at the rejection of the fisheries treaty, said:

"I may say that it is a source of great satisfaction to see the confident strength with which the Dominion, firmly clinging to the goodness of her own motives and the goodness of her own course, is able to maintain an attitude of quiet and dignified observance and is able to feel certain that the rate of her trade is increasing as it does from day to day. It is impossible to believe that where nations are so closely allied in blood and interest they can be put asunder even for a time, and I hope these words will find response in the bosoms of the commercial nations."

THE COFFEE MARKET EXCITED.

HAMBURG, Sept. 10.—The price of Santos coffee for September delivery advanced last week from 56 pfennigs to 57 pfennigs Friday night. Then the bulls, who consisted of four prominent firms, after netting 40,000,000 marks, lost courage in the face of the intensely hostile feeling of the market. The market efforts were made to recover by the bears, whose losses foot up many millions of marks. Saturday the closing price was 53 pfennigs. Much of the coffee is in the dilemma in which the bears are placed, is attributed to the Coffee Liquidation Bank, whose directors, only Saturday morning, forbade further sales for September without absolute proof of ability to deliver. This gambling will likely have serious results. The Chamber of Commerce is considering the matter.

DAVITT'S BLUNDER.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—Referring to Davitt's speech at Manchester, the Daily News, while admitting Davitt's courage and patriotism, says it thinks that he gravely misconceives his own position in politics. "Happily," it adds, "the Irish cause is committed to more sagacious hands than Davitt's."

NOTES.

VIENNA, Sept. 10.—The Prince of Wales arrived at Vienna today to witness the maneuvers of the Austrian army.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—Advices from Afghanistan say Ishak Khan and followers are advancing on Cabul. Abdurrahman Khan, the Ameer, is ill.

ATHENS, Sept. 10.—Two earthquake shocks, at Vostizza, on the Corinthian Gulf, have done great damage. Many houses have been sent for the homeless and provisions for the destitute.

At Vostizza many houses are in ruins. Most of the buildings in the place are damaged. Two bodies have been found in the debris. It is thought others may be found.

Los Angeles Street Again.

The opening of Los Angeles street and the abandonment of Negro alley will probably again come up in the Council this morning, as it is believed that Mayor Workman will send in his veto of the ordinance in its present shape, which joins the two issues, instead of separating them. The owners of property fronting on Negro alley have been very active ever since the passage of the ordinance, and have been brought to bear on His Honor. It has been represented that the abandonment of this thoroughfare would operate as a great hardship against property fronting on Negro alley, which would virtually render the property valueless, or compel the owners to purchase at an exorbitant price the small strip between Los Angeles street and the alley. On these grounds Mayor Workman would virtually veto the ordinance, and recommend that a new one be at once passed opening Los Angeles street, and also keeping Negro alley open, as he strongly favors both propositions.

Thought He Was a Lunatic.

This morning between 1 and 2 o'clock, Officer Moore came across a man acting very queerly on Alameda street. The man was a middle-aged German, bare-footed, with his shoes under his arm, and only dressed in a shirt, and was chasing about the street on a dead run. Maguire thought certain he had captured a lunatic, and as he could speak no English, brought the man to the police station. Here Officer Appel interrogated him in his mother tongue, when it came out that the man's name was Joseph Kwaschegrah; that he lived near Washington street, and was looking for a horse which had strayed off during the night. He did not wish to go home, but when the officer explained that he was liable to be again arrested if caught out in his silly costume, he gave in and allowed himself to be taken to the station, where he was started out again on his long tramp home.

Attempted Mayhem.

A street-car conductor named A. R. West was arrested by Officer Lee, on Main street, about 5 o'clock last night, and taken to the police station, where he was locked up on a charge of attempted mayhem. There has been bad blood between West and another conductor named O'Lynn, also employed on the Main-street car line, for some time, and on Sunday night the two met and got into a fight, when West caught O'Lynn's ear between his teeth and almost tore it from his head. O'Lynn also claims that West has stolen some articles from his trunk, and will prosecute him for petit larceny, in addition to the other charge.

Union League.

The Union League met at its headquarters last evening with George H. Bonebrake, president, in the chair, and Thomas A. Cook, secretary.

Thirty-four applications for membership were received.

The Executive Committee through its chairman, John A. Kelly, reported the club as progressing splendidly.

An invitation was received from the Young Men's Republican Club, inviting the league to attend their meeting this evening, which was accepted. The league will attend in a body at 7:30, starting from their rooms.

An invitation was received from the West End Club for a mass meeting near the Temple-street engine-house next Friday evening. The league will attend in a body, carrying with them their silk flag.

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AT COLUMBUS.

Arrival of the Coast Grand Army Men.

A Quarter of a Million Victory at the Encampment.

Wreck of a Train Bearing Veterans—Four Men Killed.

Other Eastern News—Northern Cities Responding Nobly to the Appeal from Jacksonville—San Francisco Flooded by a Sudden Rise of the Bay—Etc.

By Telegraph to The Times.

COLUMBUS (O.), Sept. 10.—[By the Associated Press.] Great crowds of Grand Army men have been arriving all day from all parts of the country to participate in the twenty-second annual encampment. Accommodations have been provided for 10,000 more veterans than have thus far signified their intention to come, so there will be no lack in that direction. They will be taken care of in four separate camps. The streets are profusely decorated.

During the afternoon Miss Belle Sheridan, of Somerset, O., who is a niece of the late Gen. Sheridan, presented to the Sheridan battalion of Perry county, O., with a neat speech from the grand reviewing stand, a beautiful silk flag, which had been made especially for them by the aged mother of gallant "Little Phil."

It is estimated that there are a quarter of a million strangers in the city tonight. The streets of the city are brilliantly lighted and in every direction is heard the sound of the fife and drum.

Commander-in-Chief Rhea and staff arrived this afternoon and are being entertained by Mrs. ex-Gov. Denison.

Three long trains tonight brought in posts, delegations and visitors from California, Oregon and Washington Territory, the parties having enjoyed the long but pleasant journey. Colorado, Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, in fact, all the Western and Northwestern States and Territories, are already well represented, while the Eastern and Southern States, in some cases, have their largest portions of members yet to report.

The Loyal Legion held a banquet at the American House this evening. Speeches were made by Gens. Fairchild and Belknap. An informal reception was tendered to Gen. W. T. Sherman tonight at the residence of his sister-in-law, Mrs. C. F. Steele.

YELLOW FEVER.

Jacksonville's Daily Bulletin—The Work of the Yellow Fever Commission.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 10.—[By the Associated Press.] A Jacksonville special says: The official bulletin for the past 24 hours is as follows: New cases, 32; deaths, 5; total number of cases to date, 632; total of deaths to date, 78.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Subscriptions for relief of the afflicted in Jacksonville here today amounted to \$14,331.34. Of this amount \$12,000 was the donation of one man, who refused to give his name. He presented Mayor Hewitt with a \$10,000 gold certificate and two crisp \$1,000 bills. The total amount subscribed to date is \$19,280.15.

GALVESTON, Sept. 10.—The citizens of Galveston have subscribed \$1300 for the relief of the Jacksonville sufferers.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 10.—At a meeting of the Citizens' Relief Committee today, additional sums subscribed in aid of the Jacksonville fever sufferers were announced amounting to \$3888, making the total \$4563.

MACON, Sept. 10.—The Relief Committee tonight authorized the Jacksonville authorities to draw on them for \$1000.

SUBSTANTIAL AID.

DETROIT, Sept. 10.—A few days ago the Evening Journal of this city started a subscription for the yellow-fever sufferers of Jacksonville, and telegraphed the Mayor of the city asking for an explicit statement of their needs. The following reply was received this morning:

"We thank you for your offer to aid us. Three months of gloom and suffering befall us, with 10,000 indigent, helpless people to feed and provide for during that time. Were it not for the sympathy for us and the generosity which goes so substantially in aid of us, we should be hopelessly overwhelmed by our woes. God bless the American people for their great kindness. (Signed) "JAMES M. SCHUMACHER, Chairman Finance Committee."

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—A gentleman, who refused to give his name, entered the Mayor's office today and left a check for \$13,000 for the relief of the yellow-fever sufferers of Jacksonville.

TEXAS WELL QUARANTINED.

HOUSTON (Tex.), Sept. 10.—The State Health Officer has returned from an inspection of quarantine stations along the Rio Grande. He says the quarantine system of Texas is the best in the country, and apprehends no danger of yellow fever gaining a foothold in this State.

A FLOODED CITY.

Inundation at Savannah, Ga.—The Streets Running Streams.

AUGUSTA (Ga.), Sept. 10.—[By the Associated Press.] The Savannah River has flooded this city. The river is the highest registered since 1840. The water rose rapidly, and at 9 o'clock p.m. is still rising, having stopped the cotton factories in the western end of the city, and transformed the business and residence portions into islands. Broad street, three miles long, is in fair boat condition. Currents are running through the cross streets from Broad to Green. Stores are flooded from one to two feet.

Inmate and Among Strangers. TUSCULOA (Ill.), Sept. 10.—An inmate man, taken in charge here today by the police, gives his name as Charles William Clinton of San Francisco. He is unable to give the date when he left that city. It is thought he wandered away from home while laboring under temporary mental aberration. He says he has a son-in-law, Philip Hanover, at No. 50 Sixth street, San Francisco.

"Strong, Very Strong." COLUMBUS (O.), Sept. 10.—"That is a strong, very strong paper," was the remark of Judge Thurman when Cleveland's letter was read to him at a late hour last night at Pittsburgh. Thurman and party arrived home this morning safe and well and will remain some days.

A Forger's Confession. LYNN (Mass.), Sept. 10.—J. Coby Drew this morning gave himself up, stating that he was a forger to the amount of \$18,000. He had charge of financial matters for W. F. Monroe, a grocer, and had secured notes in blank signed by Monroe and then forged the names of indorsers and obtained the money.

Chief Arthur to the Firemen. ATLANTA, Sept. 10.—The convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen was addressed by Chief Arthur of the Brotherhood of Engineers. He laid before the firemen the different phases of the "Q" strike, but made no proposition of any kind.

In the Saddle. HOLLY SPRING (Miss.), Sept. 10.—Gen. James R. Chalmers was unanimously nominated for Congress by the Republican Convention of the Second District today.

Priests from Ireland. NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Thirteen young priests recently ordained at All Hallows College, Dublin, arrived here today. Four are assigned to Sacramento and two for San Francisco.

SAD ACCIDENT.

A Grand Army Train Wrecked—Many Excurionists Wounded. CLEVELAND, Sept. 10.—Train No. 5, westbound on the New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio road, carrying G.A.R. veterans from Youngstown and vicinity to the National Encampment at Columbus, was wrecked at 1 o'clock this afternoon at Rittman, a small station three miles from Wadsworth. The train consisted of nine cars. The connecting rod of the locomotive drawing the special broke near Rittman, and, after much difficulty, the train was stopped on a curve. While waiting for repairs a freight train, which had been following the special, thundered down the heavy grade at the rate of 25 miles an hour, and, although warning was given, it was impossible to avert the collision. The locomotive of the freight cars plunged into the rear coach of the special, wrecking four cars, three of them being completely demolished.

The excursionists had notice of the impending danger, and all succeeded in getting out of the cars before the crash came, but as they hurried down the embankment the wrecked coaches rolled down upon them, killing four persons outright and injuring 25 others more or less seriously.

The names of the killed are Barney Bottlinger of Canton, O., engineer of the freight, who jumped against the bank and fell back under the wheels of his engine, his head being cut off; William Cochran of Caledonia, O., brakeman of the freight train, killed outright; John Shook of Youngstown, Samuel Brace of Youngstown, Miss Ina Turner of Youngstown, seriously hurt internally, and since reported to be dead.

The Mexican Congress. CITY OF MEXICO (via Galveston), Sept. 10.—At the session of the House of Representatives today members were sworn in. The election for officers resulted as follows: Trinidad Garcia, President; Pedro Rincon Gallardo, Vice-President; Rosendo Palencia, First Secretary; Ramon Rodriguez Rivera, Second Secretary.

National Rifle Association.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—There was a large attendance at the opening of the annual prize shooting of the National Rifle Association at Creedmoor today. The only event decided was the Wimbledon cup, which was won by W. M. Merrill of Massachusetts, by a score of 134 with 30 shots, at 1000 yards.

Chicago Fruit Sales. CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—Montgomery & Co. sold five cars. Grapes and pears were in good demand. Peaches were in poor condition. Grapes, Muscat, \$1.45@2.45; Tokay, \$1.45@2.50; Cornet, \$2.00@3.20. Peaches, freestone, 90c@1.10; Salway, 60c@1.10; (clingstone), 45c@55c. Plums, \$1.30. Bartlett pears, \$3.20@4.00.

Prairie Fires.

HELENA (Mont.), Sept. 10.—Disastrous fires are raging in the Upper Teton country. Ranges are burned off over an area of 60 miles. The fire baffles all attempts to keep it under control.

Mr. Grady, Begorra.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 10.—Senator Thomas F. Grady of New York addressed a large audience here, tonight, at Masonic Hall, on the issues of the campaign. He is en route to California to stump the coast for the Democratic ticket.

Lotta Buys an Opera-house.

ST. PAUL (Minn.), Sept. 10.—The sale of the Grand Opera-house by the heirs of the Davidson estate to Lotta Crabtree, the actress, was completed today. The price paid was \$150,000.

Assigned.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Peter W. Lund, who dealt in awnings and tarpaulins under the style of the Manhattan Awning Manufacturing Company, and who was previously for 25 years in that business in San Francisco, has assigned.

HAZARD'S STRATEGY.

The East Los Angeles Hydrant Again Knocked Out of Fix.

The fight over the East Los Angeles sprinkling hydrant took another turn yesterday, by which Henry Hazard again got a very decided advantage. Ever since the hydrant was last fixed in position it has been guarded by a policeman, who had instructions not to allow any one to tamper with it. Yesterday morning, however, while Officer Sheets was on duty, he was approached by three or four men, who, the officer says, told him they were in the employ of the city, and that they were sent out to repair the hydrant. They had their tools with them, and the officer, not suspecting anything wrong, told them to go ahead. The valves had been fixed, and the water could be turned on with a wrench, and the workmen cut the handle off close to the pipe, so that the water cannot be turned on. They then sawed the pipe off and left the hydrant in a derelict standing, with the officer keeping guard over it. Sheets did not discover that he had been "monkey-wrecked" for some time afterward, when it is said he made the atmosphere blue, all of which, however, did not mend matters, and Hazard is still on top in this very funny water war.

About half-past 7 o'clock there came very near trouble over the hydrant. It had been repaired, and was being drawn for sprinkling purposes, when four or five men approached Officer Dingman, who was on duty at the place, and asked him what his orders were in regard to the hydrant, and what he would do if they attempted to pull it down. Dingman told them he was there to see that it was not molested, and that if he could not do anything else, he would shoot the first man who put his hand on it, if a mob tried to displace it. The men then went to Mr. Hazard, who was standing in the middle of the street, and reported, when he told them to go after the gang, and be certain to bring a crowd. The officer overheard the remark, and not wishing to have any trouble, sent word up to the hospital, and telephoned over for reinforcements. The news was conveyed to Mr. Hazard, and he did not send his forces around. Later he came up to Dingman and commenced to abuse him for something in connection with the hydrant, threatening to report him. As the officer had been considerably annoyed, he told Mr. Hazard plainly what he thought about his actions, at the same time telling him what he had overheard. Hazard then said he did not care about reporting him, and said that no attempt would be made to pull the hydrant down during the night. Everything was quiet when Officer Dingman was relieved at 12 o'clock last night.

A Narrow Escape.

Four or five men on the California Central narrowly escaped death Saturday morning. They were driving a hand-car at full speed just south of Pachappa into the cut, when they met a freight train. Neither saw the other until within about 50 feet of each other, too late to do anything but jump, which the men on the car did, just in the nick of time. The cow-catcher of the engine struck the hand-car with a fearful crash, smashing it into a thousand pieces and scattering the fragments, together with a lot of peaches, along the track for a distance of 150 feet. No one was injured. It happened just opposite Perrin's brickyard, and the brickmakers had a regular feast on the fruit. It was a narrow escape from instant death.

Pass the Crackers.

Pasadena is having an interesting time all by itself. Its people are trying to stop the selling of crackers (with a stick), and, as usual, the proceeding is causing some trouble, the cracker-eating population rebelling. But no more now is heard in Pasadena the suggestive voice of ruby-nosed citizens saying in dulcet tones: "Please pass the crackers." The crackers are not now passed.

ADMISSION DAY.

California Celebrates Her Anniversary.

The Native Sons Have a Big Parade at Santa Cruz.

Scenes Among the Ruins of the Great San Francisco Fire.

Fearful Death of a Utah School Teacher—A Boy Arrested for Murder—Close of the Methodist Conference at Pacific Grove—General Coast Notes.

By Telegraph to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—[By the Associated Press.] The thirty-eighth anniversary of the admission of California into the Union was observed in this city and throughout the State today, owing to the 9th having fallen on Sunday. In San Francisco the celebration was very quiet. All State and municipal offices and a majority of the business houses were closed in honor of the occasion. There were various excursions to the interior, all of which were largely patronized. The largest crowd went to Santa Cruz to attend the regular Admission day celebration held by the Native Sons of the Golden West. Gov. Waterman and his staff attended the festivities, which were of the usual order. R. M. Fitzgerald of Oakland, grand orator of the order, delivered the oration.

AT SANTA CRUZ.

SANTA CRUZ, Sept. 10.—The parade of Native Sons today was over one mile and a half in length and was marshaled in perfect order. The display of banners and emblems was magnificent and the fine appearance of the men excited applause and expressions of admiration all along the line of march. A conspicuous feature of the procession was a carriage containing Gov. Waterman and daughter.

After the parade the Pioneers gave a banquet in their hall to members of the society and distinguished guests from abroad. There were covers for 200. Gov. Waterman and several members of his staff were present; also Gen. Thomas Clinch, Democratic candidate for Congress in this district, and T. G. Phelps, Republican nominee.

The literary exercises of the Native Sons were held at the pavilion at 9:30. Grand President Dorn presided, and the oration was delivered by R. M. Fitzgerald of Oakland, grand orator of the order. The oration was a masterly effort, dealing with the living problems of the day before the young men of California.

Fully 5000 people were at the beach during the afternoon. This was the greatest gathering of the kind ever held in the State. The celebration closed this evening with a grand ball at the pavilion, and hops and receptions at various headquarters.

AT SAN DIEGO.

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 10.—Admission Day was observed here today by a general suspension of business and some interesting exercises this morning at the theater. Hook and ladder and horse-race races and other sports were held at the racetrack.

AMONG THE RUINS.

Scenes in the Burnt District of San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—[By the Associated Press.] Yesterday's fire has left the vicinity swept by the flames in a most forlorn condition. All that now meets the eye on the ground where hives of industry stood are great piles of charred lumber and ashes, heaps of still smoldering straw and coal, high brick chimneys standing like skeletons against the black background, and masses of twisted iron-work. Many feet of wooden sidewalk has been burned and under the charred planks large pools of water have formed. All day today thousands of people viewed the burnt district from different points of vantage, while policemen kept a wary eye around them to detect petty thieving. Here and there could be found ruins of iron safes, most of them, however, having stood the test of the fire so well that the books and papers contained in them were taken out intact.

A BOY MURDERER.

A Youth of 17 Charged with a Terrible Crime.

STOCKTON, Sept. 10.—[By the Associated Press.] A passenger from Sonora today said that the murder of Lyman Randall near a Chinese camp last Friday was apparently the result of a quarrel between the deceased and Jack Parnell, who had been in the employ of Randall as a "sheep" driver. They were returning to the foothills with sheep and stopped near the mountain pass. It was learned that Randall and Parnell had a trifling quarrel on Friday morning, and that Parnell had kicked Randall. The next morning Randall's body was found in the road with three bullet holes in it. On the other side of a stone wall was found a gun with three cartridges exploded. Parnell was missing, but was arrested at Petes in this county, yesterday. He is but 17 years of age.

RACES AT THE STATE FAIR.

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 10.—A great crowd at the driving part of the State Agricultural Society today witnessed the events, which were all running. Premium stake, all ages, three-fourths of a mile, six starters—D. J. D. won. Not idle second, Applause third. Time, 1:14 1/2. California stake, one mile, three starters—Almont won. Don Jose second, Plencia third. Time, 1:48 1/2. The large stakes were won by Canny Scot, Index second, Laura Gardner third. Time, 4:02. One and one-sixteenth miles—E. Wood won. Wilcox second, Now-or-Never third. Time, 1:51.

Vessels Wrecked.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—The schooner Everdell, loaded with ties and wood, went ashore a mile below the Cliff House this morning. The crew was saved. News reached here that the British bark Derby Park, from Point Discovery to Melbourne, was wrecked at Ponopon Island. The Captain's wife was drowned. The crew escaped and went to Tahiti.

Would Not Give Him Up.

NOGALES (Ariz.), Sept. 10.—Sheriff Shaw has returned from Hermosillo, Sonora, where he came with papers for the extradition of Manuel Verdugo, the murderer of Louis Cohn of this city. He says that the Mexican authorities refused to turn the prisoner over.

Dr. Mays Resigns.

STOCKTON, Sept. 10.—Dr. W. H. Mays, Superintendent of the State Insane Asylum, presented his resignation to the directors today, as he proposes removing to San Francisco. The board will consider the resignation tomorrow, and, if accepted, will probably appoint Dr. Kueker of Merced to the place.

Thrown from a Hand-car.

TUCSON (Ariz.), Sept. 10.—This morning while Section Foreman Juan and two Mexican laborers were coming down the Dragoon summit on a hand-car, it was thrown from the track and Foreman Juan was instantly killed. The other two men were badly hurt. One, it is thought, is fatally wounded.

Ventura Republicans.

SAN BUENAVENTURA, Sept. 10.—The Republican County Convention met today, and nominated officers, with Orestes Orr for District Attorney.

The Montana Democracy.

BUTTE (Mont.), Sept. 10.—The Democratic Territorial Convention today unanimously nominated Hon. W. A. Clark as Delegate to Congress.

THE METHODISTS.

Close of the Conference at Pacific Grove—The Appointments.

PACIFIC GROVE, Sept. 10.—[By the Associated Press.] At the Methodist Ministers' Conference today it was decided that the next conference should be held here. Various committees were selected. Resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Charles Crocker were adopted and the following appointments, among others, were made: Napa College, J. N. Beard, president; W. C. Damon and Dr. W. C. Chilton, professors. Stockton Central, S. J. Carroll. Sacramento Central, T. Filben. San Francisco District, F. Bosland, president; Central, W. W. Case. San Jose Central, S. G. Gale.

FRIGHTFUL DEATH.

A School-teacher's Fall Over a Precipice.

SALT LAKE, Sept. 10.—[By the Associated Press.] Last Saturday W. H. Rasmussen, late principal of the district school at Richfield, Rich county, while on a pleasure trip in Monroe Cañon, was rolling stones down a precipice to see them splash in the water beneath. His foot slipped, and he fell from a precipice 60 feet high, being killed instantly. As he was descending he struck on a jutting crag, and his throat was cut, leaving a piece of his cheek on the rock.

The English Grain Trade.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—The Mark Lane Express, in its review of the British grain market last week, says: "With the exception of a few showers, the weather during the past week has been fine. Much grain has been secured, the quality of which is much better than was expected. It is believed that the quantity will also exceed the estimates. Still the condition is indifferent at the best. The bulk of the supplies offered have been unfit for market. A certain bulk of the crop must be stored, and will not find a market until 1891. It is our opinion that the nature of the crop is certain to be dirty, and the supply will be scarce."

A Colorado Village Burned.

DENVER, Sept. 10.—Fire this morning, at Dukes, Colo., a village west of here, on the Denver and Rio Grande Railway, destroyed a large portion of the town. Loss, \$50,000; partly insured.

YOUNG MR. TERRY.

A San Diego Paper's Sketch of the Fresno Aspirant.

(San Diego Bee, Sept. 3d.)

Reel B. Terry, the Democratic candidate for Congress in this district, arrived in the city yesterday, and followed about among the leading Democrats, Mayor Hunsaker chaperoning him most of the time.

Mr. Terry is a young man, not much over 30 years of age, slight in build and about 5 feet 7 inches in height. He is a blonde, cultivates English whiskers, as becomes an Anglomaniac, and dresses in excellent taste. His tailor is more of an artist than his political preceptor. The young man has a pleasant, but a weak face, and his forehead is too low to grapple with the grave earnest questions that now engage the attention of Congress.

Mr. Terry is a country lawyer, and a young and inexperienced one at that. He is one of the boys, a jovial, good companion, probably, a splendid fellow for Fresno, but for Washington? No! He is almost effeminate in his manner as well as in physique, and no intelligent man can be in conversation with him 10 minutes without discovering that he is not the man the Sixth District wants in Congress. Many Democrats learned this to their sorrow yesterday, and at once gave up the fight.

Democratic Consistency.

(Ohio State Journal.)

The administration of Cleveland, as shown by Senator Allison, has expended \$95,000,000 more than his predecessor; the President himself allows the extravagant River and Harbor Bill ever enacted by an American Congress to become a law without his signature; the very atmosphere around resort at Red Top reeks with suspicions of speculation and corruption at the expense of the people; every department of the Government, beginning with the Cabinet and the President himself, if he can collect a group of friends for raising of an immense fund for party purposes; then he laboriously votes a few bills granting \$12 per month to each of the widows of some poor dead soldiers, goes off fishing to Clifton Forge, and the free-trade and Mugwump organs sing paeans of praise to the "clean-handed, honest, pure, economical and courageous" President who illustrates the maxim that "a public office is a public trust."

Planting Fish.

[Pine Republician.]

J. W. Reeser returned yesterday from his trip to Stevenson and Dinkey creeks, where he went for the purpose of stocking said creeks with trout from Lake Tahoe. Mr. Reeser took over 30,000 trout, supplied by the Government hatchery at Tahoe. He put about 25,000 in Dinkey and 5000 in Stevenson Creek, and a few hundred in several other creeks. Owing to the interest taken in the matter by Mr. Reeser, the fish were successfully planted. Not without a great deal of trouble, however, as he had to travel night and day, and lost his way several times in the pine woods at night. The last batch of fish was planted.

First lady: "Have you any hired help now?" Second lady: "Well, half and half." "Why, you see, it is hired, but it is no help." [Washington Critic.]

The Weather.

SIGNAL OFFICE, LOS ANGELES, Sept. 10.—At 5:07 a.m. today the thermometer registered 62; at 12:07 p.m., 82; at 5:07 p.m., 70. Barometer for corresponding periods, 29.71, 29.70, 29.68. Maximum temperature, 82; minimum temperature, 62. Weather clear.

INDICATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—Indications for the next 24 hours: For California—Fair weather, except preceded by light local showers in the northern portion.

Physicians say that Hungarian food is exceedingly nourishing. It can be found at the Vienna Buffet, cor. Main and Ives streets.

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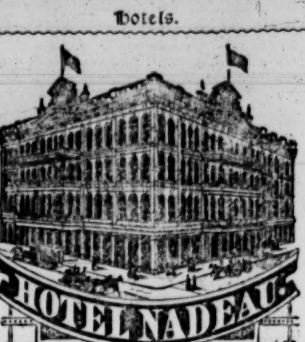
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LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

The Blinding Glare of the Electric Light.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 8.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.]—If there is anything worthy of the greatest admiration it is the excellent good temper and sweet going nature of our City Fathers in reference to our electric street lights. They are just lovely—I mean the temper and natures.

Why should a little variation, to the extent of one or two hundred per cent. of our contract with the company for furnishing lights, be permitted to rattle any one's temper, especially when the poor company can get all the pay the city agrees to give it, and also sell the light to the stores or any "other man"? And then the glare of a great, bright, flaring light might injure the eyes of the street-car mules and those of some other people. Moreover, a mild, soft glimmer, with now and then a flicker, is more interesting than these soft, dark, summer nights, and exerts a beneficial influence upon the average citizen, by reminding him that eternal vigilance is a good thing to have on hand at all times, and is often the price of a safe arrival at the place he is "making for."

And another thing—it reminds him of that excellent proverb, so often thoughtlessly overridden and disregarded by the most of us, namely, to "go slow."

I have heard some people complain of our electric lights and say they look about like small bathroom kerosene lamps stuck up on poles; but as for me, I always look at the bright side of a thing (when I can see it), and often sit and gaze with wonderment and calculation as to how many millions of the pretty little lights as they twinkle in the sky it would require to make a 20,000-candle-power blaze.

And the flicker is very nice. Take your stand some time on the street and pick out your favorite light if you have never tried it. However, a seat at your window or a stand on your porch is better if you can see it, that far, as then you can watch it with impunity and won't be uneasy as to whether school keeps or not—the light, I mean—and watch it. A little while you see it, and then again a little while and you shall not see it, and then, as the deep shadows of darkest night suddenly gather themselves around you, a profound sensation of the awful, to say nothing of the beautiful, strikes you, and you wonder at the effect and question in your inmost soul how much more profitable it must be and how much more obligatory it must be, too, for an electric light company to furnish light to a high-up toner-lager-beer saloon than a great city.

And then (if you are safe at home) you mentally ask yourself the question, "who shall I see at Saturday night?" with the consciousness that you will continue to be a good citizen and promptly pay your taxes of all kinds, especially "city," that you may proudly go forth from a great metropolis, which is known among the elect, and so progressive as to have her system of electric light.

Card from Mrs. Wells.
LOS ANGELES, Sept. 10.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.]—Claiming the right that you accord to all in your paper to defend themselves from unjust attacks and false and malicious accusations, I wish to reply to those brought against me in your issue of Friday last under the heading of "The Truesdell Faith."

The first charge represents me as belonging to the Truesdell outfit, the chief feature of which is to break up households and consummate illegal marriages.

I will say first: Dr. Truesdell took no part in my marriage ceremony, except as a witness. I was legally married according to the statutes of California.

It is charged that through Dr. Truesdell's teachings I was divorced from my husband, but my divorce papers were made out by a lawyer of this city over a year before I ever heard of Dr. Truesdell, and it was through his teachings and persuasion that I was enabled to endure two more years of suffering and bondage.

I am charged with neglecting my household duties and not preparing meals for my husband on his return from "hard work." Reverse this and you will have the truth. I earned, bought, carried home and cooked every mouthful that was eaten in my house for years, and when my husband (?) did make any money he refused me support.

He also makes the statement that he threw one of the "he apostles" out of the house. I never had a gentleman metaphysician to visit me at my house.

The next falsehood that I have to deal with is that the divorce was planned during a visit to Pasadena. It was in my own house that the determination was arrived at, caused by abuse and ill-treatment received at his hands. It is inferred that I occupied a room in his house, but the house was my own. Notwithstanding this fact, I rented a room elsewhere to seclude myself from him; and, as for my hasty marriage, I was forced to it in order to have protection from his persecutions.

In regard to the metaphysical college of this city repudiating the "Truesdell outfit," as it is termed, I would simply say that Dr. Truesdell's life and teachings will bear investigation. "By their fruits ye shall know them."

Mrs. A. W. WELLS.

Card from D. O'Lyne.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 8.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.]—Your reporter, or whoever put the article in today's paper about me, does me a serious injustice. I never stole anything, never was anything stolen found on me or by me. Mr. West, my room-mate, asked me to take two registers to the car barns, corner Washington and Main streets, for him on last Sunday, which I delivered to Mr. Cleveland's son in the presence of my father. Last Thursday the superintendent of the Main-street car line came and took me off the car and said the register was in my trunk. He said he had a warrant for me, etc.—all of which was untrue; and after he went away I opened my trunk and showed it to his man. Meantime he returned with more help and swore to kill me, which I declined to oblige them in getting a chance to do so. I walked away, told them where I was going and where I could be had, but they never found anything in my possession because I never did take anything belonging to any other person.

Please state the truth and oblige yours respectfully, D. O'LYNE.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Private entrance for ladies to the Vienna Buffet, on Figueroa street.

FROM SAN JUAN.

The Lookout and the Outlook—Pleasing Prospects.

SAN JUAN, CAPISTRANO, Sept. 8.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.]—I am very much pleased to see two letters in your valuable paper recently from this section. There is no section of Los Angeles county that is more deserving of attention, or that would prove more attractive to both natives and tourists, than the region around here. The original quiet of this beautiful valley is but recently disturbed by the whistle of the locomotive on the "Surf line" of the Santa Fe route, and visitors from your city can now reach here in two hours, spend the best part of the day, and return again at a reasonable evening hour. Just now everything is crude and country-like. The small, quiet village, with its two hotels, general store and its blacksmith shop, together with the inevitable saloon, reminds one of what most of our California towns must have been years ago. But the advent of the railroad will soon change all this, and Capistrano will, no doubt, become an important shipping point, and doing its share towards building up our county. At San Juan by-the-sea, only three miles from this point, the Pacific Land Improvement Company contemplate erecting a large hotel. Certainly no more beautiful spot can be found on our entire coast, than that laid out and reserved for hotel purposes by the above named company. It is on a high bluff against which the waves of the grand old Pacific are continually dashing. The view of ocean, mountain and valley is sublime indeed, equal if not superior to anything on this coast. Surely an investment of this kind would prove a good one. The valley around Capistrano is one of the very best of the small valleys in the southern part of the State. It seems to be especially adapted to the growth of English wall-nuts, and they are largely cultivated by the good people who have settled here. There are many old orchards that have been bearing walnuts and paying big revenue to their owners for years.

Many young orchards have been put out within the past two years, containing several thousand trees, and when they come into bearing will add materially to the wealth of the valley. Oranges, lemons and indeed all other kinds of fruit do well here, and as I write I look out upon a peach orchard, peach and pear trees literally breaking down with their loads of fruit. This section was so cut off from everywhere during the so-called "boom," that it has never felt the effect of it in any way. There is no real-estate agent to take you by the arm and show you a lot on which you can "double your money before next Saturday night." There are no "town lots" 25x150 for sale, and lands have no fictitious value. The few sales that have been made in the past two years were made to parties who are improving their property, feeling sure that they have a good investment, and one that is earning a good interest on that investment now. The time is not far distant when owners of land in this valley may be considered very fortunate, as such property will continue to enhance until it becomes exceedingly valuable.

The tourist should, by all means, visit the wonderful hot springs at the head of the valley, and about 10 miles from the town. This is a famous camping place, and one can find pure cold mountain water in close proximity to very hot mineral water, the latter containing medicinal qualities of very great value. And last, but by no means least, don't neglect the old mission at Capistrano. The main building is in ruins, showing that it must have been a grand old edifice. The annexes are well preserved, and the visitor should secure the key to the chapel and ask some one to show him through this, as well as through the quaint old rooms connected with it, and hear their history from some one who can tell it better than I can. Nothing can be more interesting than this, or indeed more instructive, for this part of our State's history is fast passing away. But I have made this letter quite long enough. My advice to tourists in your city is: don't return to your eastern homes without spending one or two days at Capistrano. It will amply repay you.

WILTON.
Silver House, Baker Block,
For household goods and elegant wedding gifts at wholesale eastern prices.

Chalmers & Northolt have removed their bookstore from the corner of Main and Third streets to 140 South Main street.

Hotel Oxford
Under new management. Best rooms in the city from \$15 to \$20 per month. 9-15

The Vienna Buffet, with its energetic management and excellent kitchen, is the leading place in the city.

Catalina is the gem resort of the Pacific Coast for fine boating, bathing, hunting and fishing.

Use German family soap.

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Our Ladies' Department is the finest on the coast, which is open from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily. Gentlemen's department open day and night. These baths are the best preventive for colds and their results; also a preventive for contagious diseases. A well given Hammam bath has no equal as an agent to promote and restore healthful activity in the human system. Hammam baths in connection with the establishment. A Hammam bath is not only a matter of cleanliness, but also acts on the nervous system, liver and kidneys, and gives to the skin that fresh and rosy look peculiar to youth. Dr. de Horra, with an experience of 20 years in the management of Hammam baths in the Eastern States, will give his advice gratis to bathers. ALEX. DE HORRA, Proprietor.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

A council of the Royal Arcanum is to be established at Sloan & Mudge's art store this evening.

John Shelley, a victim of alcoholism, was incarcerated in the City Prison yesterday for treatment.

The regular meeting of the Council, postponed yesterday on account of the legal holiday, will be held today, beginning at 10 a.m.

Members of the Unitarian congregation will meet at the residence of W. H. Perry, 502 South Pearl street, this evening, to consider important matters.

The ladies of the First Congregational Church will hold a reception today, from 3 to 4 p.m., at the residence of T. E. Kimball, No. 716 South Pearl street.

Adolph Klein and Miss Sadie Newman were married by Rabbi Edelman, at the residence of the bride's parents, corner of Amelia and Ducommun streets, Sunday.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph office, 6 Court street, for the following people: W. S. Ketchley, George Dudley, Dolores Ontiveros de Yorra.

The Mexican citizens are making extensive arrangements for their ball on the 15th inst. in commemoration of Mexican independence. The ball will be given in Turner Hall.

The ladies in the vicinity of the West End Republican headquarters are invited to meet at the tent, on Temple street, tomorrow, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of decorating the same with flowers.

Jailer Russell yesterday took advantage of the legal holiday and the consequent dull business and had the jail thoroughly cleaned out from top to bottom, the tanks washed out and the cells put in first-class sanitary condition.

The Irish-American Republican club will send a delegation of speakers to Santa Monica next Saturday evening. The ball set for the 8th inst. has been postponed to the 23d, and new tickets will be ready at the club-rooms Thursday evening.

The funeral of the late M. Leland took place yesterday afternoon from the undertaking parlors of Orr & Sutth, on Spring street, under the auspices of the Masonic fraternity, and was largely attended by the old residents of the city, among whom the deceased had many friends.

The Los Angeles County Fair opens at Downey today. Preparations have been made for a regular farmers' carnival, and the exhibits of agricultural products and live stock will no doubt be very full, as in former years.

Elder P. W. Shick and wife of Mount Valley, Kan., are rooming at 713 South Main street. The elder is preaching in the large tent, corner of Hill and Ninth streets, every evening at 7:30, and will continue until next Sunday night. Dr. Kendrick assists at the meetings.

A correspondent from Garvanza writes a long letter to the Times protesting against the methods pursued by Ralph Rogers in closing up the road on the bottom of the Arroyo Seco. Mr. Rogers was defeated in his attempt to get the schoolhouse located on his land, that of Mr. McCarthy being chosen instead.

The Young Men's Republican Club will hold a meeting at the Wigwam this evening, which will be addressed by Judge H. N. Smith, E. P. Davis and others. Mr. Davis will especially devote himself to a discussion of the condition of labor in England, of which country he was formerly a citizen, and where he made a canvass for Parliament.

There is a kick from Republicans against the latest dodge of the Democratic campaign committee in placing an emissary at the door of the wigwam last Saturday evening to distribute copies of the Mills Bill (said to be garbled) and other Democratic literature to the assembled Republicans. The Democrats are so scared that they are ready to resort to all sorts of subterfuges.

Yesterday was a dull day in police circles. Up to 6 o'clock last evening there had not been a single arrest, the only entry on the blotter being four stray horses and two persons booked for medical treatment. One of these men was John Burke, a laborer in Kohler's winery, at the Nadeau vineyard, who was injured by falling into one of the large vats, and was quite seriously hurt. John Shelley was the other man, and was sent to the County Hospital.

Banks and large commercial houses will find it to their interest to return from the Times-Mirror bindery before ordering their blank books.

PERSONAL NEWS.

H. Dedant of San Francisco is at the Nadeau.

C. J. Howard and wife of Riverside are at the Nadeau.

William V. Wiley of Riverside is at the Westminster.

O. T. Johnson of Riverside is a guest at the Westminster.

H. G. Wilsnir of Fullerton is registered at the Hollenbeck.

R. M. Tobin of San Francisco is a guest of the Hollenbeck.

R. M. Dillon and wife from Santa Barbara are at the Hollenbeck.

John T. Bell of Dayton, O., is in the city, and is stopping at the Hollenbeck.

Dr. F. K. Ainsworth and wife of Riverside are registered at the Westminster.

L. Mendelson and M. Mendelson of Lower California are registered at the Westminster.

E. C. Andrews and wife are in from Santa Monica, and have rooms at the Hollenbeck.

Ira Bishop and wife and J. B. Stanford and wife of San Francisco are guests at the Nadeau.

T. F. Morrison and wife of San José are in the city and have apartments at the Westminster.

Dr. G. G. Tyrrell, Miss Tyrrell and Miss Callaghan of Sacramento have apartments at the Westminster.

P. M. Williamson and P. M. Martin of St. Louis are taking a tour through California, and are stopping at the Westminster.

Miss Marian Otis of the Times force has gone to Santa Barbara for a short vacation. She revisits her old home after an absence of six years.

A. A. Snyder, W. B. Sexton, George H. Tyson and D. B. Wilson of San Francisco are among the prominent arrivals at the Westminster.

H. A. McPherson of Redlands was married to Miss Minnie Clark of Appleton, Cal., on September 4th. They will come to California soon.

Mrs. Doris Jones and Miss Jones and maid, who have been at Monterey for the summer, returned home the other day, and are now at Hotel Arcadia, Santa Monica.

Thomas Morrison, a San José banker, and wife are visiting Mrs. Morrison's father, Deputy County Clerk A. J. Ashmore, who will go to San Diego before returning home.

Col. E. S. Bertram of Council Grove, Kan., one of the Canton delegates to the Grand Encampment of Odd Fellows, which meets in this city on the 15th, arrived yesterday, and will spend some time in this section of the State.

(Get them bound. If you have files of magazines lying around the house, pre-serve them by getting them bound. The expense is slight. The Times-Mirror Printing and Binding House does this kind of work in the best style.)

Desmond, the hatter, will remove all the goods that were damaged by water in the recent fire from his store, No. 4 North Spring street, to No. 10 West First street, where they will be sold regardless of cost, the sale commencing next Thursday, Sept. 13th. This is a good chance for all those wishing to buy at one-half price for all those wishing to buy or underclothes white shirts, hats, caps, or anything in the gent's furnishing-woods line, for Desmond always carried a first-class line of each article of wearing apparel, and it behooves the citizens of Los Angeles to take advantage of this opportunity and lay in a supply for the winter.

A great many of the goods are damaged but slightly, but still everything that was in the store at the time of the fire will be sacrificed and sold for what they would bring.

Mrs. Dr. Wells has removed to a new home, and is located on the beach, second corner north of Santa Monica beach. Office hours from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. P.O. Box 88.

Where shall I take my lunch? At the Vienna Buffet.

PEOPLE'S STORE.

In passing by our establishment always make it a point of object to inspect the various displays in our windows. You will always find articles of interest and a comparison. They will never give you a better idea of how we sell our wares. It will more than repay you for time and trouble.

OUR FAMOUS WINDOW DISPLAYS.

Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 64c.

A large assortment of the latest patterns in colored bordered hemstitched handkerchiefs, warranted fast colors, at 64c; sold by every one at 12c.

Opaque Spring Roller Window Shades, 74c.

An entire new line of opaque roller window shades at 74c, with handsomely designed ornate trims, in tints never shown before, at 74c; sold elsewhere at 84c.

OUR FURNITURE DEPARTMENT.

We present a list of bargains in this department which will interest anyone who has eyes to see. Many new patterns in the latest styles and cuts.

Men's Frock Suits, \$6.95.

Just think, a frock suit in the latest pattern, gray mixed, the most serviceable color, at \$6.95; worth \$10.50.

Men's All-wool Suits, \$7.50.

An all dark brown-mixed sack suit, new and stylish, the best of workmanship, made to fit, at \$7.50; a suit sold all over at \$15.

Men's Silk-faced Suits, \$10.40.

A dress suit in a plaid-colored silk-faced, making a stylish and dressy suit, at \$10.40; sold elsewhere as high as \$20.

Men's Mouslin Pants, \$1.25 a Pair.

Will you wear any material known; well made, at \$1.25 a pair; sold all over at \$2.

Boys' and youths' long cotton pants at 75c a pair; sold all over at \$1.25.

Gents' Striped socks, 4c a Pair.

Not the best sock made, but very good and a stripe pattern, at 5c a pair; sold all over at 10c.

Men's Balbriggan Shirts, 35c Each.

An extra fine balbriggan undershirt, an extra value, at 35c each; sold all over at 60c.

Boys' Unlaundried shirts, 35c Each.

Boys' unlaundried white shirts, double bosom, reinforced sides, at 35c; sold elsewhere at 50c.

Carpenters' Aprons, 15c Each.

Carpenters' heavy ticking aprons, 15c each, having the price of the material, and sold elsewhere at 25c.

Men's Pique Vests, 35c Each.

Men's fancy figured pique vests, at 35c each; sold all over at \$1.

HAT DEPARTMENT.

Children's Straw Hats, 1c Each.

Children's fancy braided straw hats, wide brim, sailor or turban styles, at 15c; sold all over at 40c.

Children's Turban Straw Hats, 25c Each.

Children's roll-brim straw turban, in mixed or brown straws, set in lined, with velvet bands, 25c; reduced from 35c.

Men's Straw Hats, 15c Each.

Men's white straw hats with black bands and binding around the edge, making a good, strong and serviceable hat, at 15c; sold elsewhere as high as 25c.

Our Table of 25c hats.

Our table of 25c men's and youths' hats, in mixed and white straws, none worth less than 50c, and many worth much more.

Boys' Velvet Hats, 45c Each.

Boys' velvet corduroy hats, black, brown or gray, the most serviceable and dressy hat manufactured, at 45c; sold elsewhere as high as \$1.25.

Our 95c Lounger.

A fine blue, black, brown and light colors soft felt hat, small, medium and large styles, at 95c; sold all over at \$1.50.

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

Our values in this department are as well as in all others, are surprising. Our eastern visitors often remark: "How is it possible we can sell so cheap?" and they will not wonder when you see our prices and qualities of goods.

Men's Plow Shoes, 95c a Pair.

They wonder how we can do it. A leather plow shoe, with two straps, at 95c a pair that others sell at \$2 for.

Men's Lace Shoes, \$1.25 a Pair.

An extra good working shoe, in hook lace, in all sizes, at \$1.25 a pair; sold elsewhere at \$2.25 a pair.

Men's Calf Shoes, \$2.75 a Pair.

A fine extra calf shoe, made of the famous excelsior stock, at \$2.75 a pair; perfect fitting, easy on the foot; sold all over at \$4 a pair.

Ladies' Kangaroo Kid Shoes, \$2.50 a Pair.

Ladies' curacao kid fine thin sole, button, a neat and dressy shoe, at \$2.50 a pair; sold elsewhere at \$4.

Ladies' Hand-sewed Shoes, \$3.98 a Pair.

A genuine Bassett stock French kid, hand-sewed and turn sole shoe, the best and the best fitting made, at \$3.98; sold elsewhere as high as \$6.50 a pair; in common sense or opera.

Misses' Kangaroo Shoes, \$1.75 a Pair.

An extra fine and soft high cut kangaroo button shoe at \$1.75 a pair; sold elsewhere at \$2.50; sizes 11 to 2.

Children's Grain Leather Shoes, 95c a Pair.

Children's spring heels, worked button-hole, grain leather shoe, at 95c a pair, a value you may never get again; sold all over at \$1.50 a pair.

Babies' Low Shoes, 85c a Pair.

A soft sole, light weight shoe with three buttons the best we have seen, at 85c a pair; sold elsewhere as high as 75c.

Checked Nainsook, 6c a Yard.

A fine white checked nainsook, for aprons, dresses, etc., at 6c a yard; sold all over at 5c a yard.

Dress Prints, 5c a Yard.

The best brands of dark prints, fast colors, in all new designs, the choicest of goods, at 5c a yard.

Red Flannel, 12c a Yard.

All-wool, fine flannel band at 12c; sold all over at 25c.

Yard-wide, Indigo Blue and Turkey Red Port.

The finest imported, yard-wide, indigo blue or turkey red French p. reals, in the very best designs, in handsome, large patterns, makes an elegant garment, at 12c a yard; sold elsewhere as high as 20c.

Double-fold Picking, 15c a Yard.

Fancy striped, double-fold ticking, used extensively for skirts, etc., at 15c a yard; extra heavy quality, and sold all over at 20c.

Table Linen, 25c a Yard.

Full one and a half yards wide, heavy German damask, table linen, pure linen, clear and distinct patterns. Don't miss this bargain for you will regret it. 25c a yard; sold elsewhere as high as 40c.

LACE AND HOSIERY DEPARTMENT.

Pure silk Veiling, 10c a Yard.

All shades of pure silk veiling, in the latest patterns, at 10c; sold elsewhere at 20c.

Black Silk Headed Ribbon, 45c a Yard.

A 5-inch deep silk and mixed black fringe at 45c; sold all over at 50c.

Linen Laces, 10c a Yard.

Pure linen torchon laces, from 2 to 4 inches wide, in heavy, coarse and fine patterns, at 10c a yard; none worth less than 10c and as high as 25c.

Oriental Flouncing, 30c a Yard.

A full 4-inch deep oriental lace flouncing, in extra fine patterns, at 30c a yard; sold elsewhere at 50c.

Satin Fans, 35c Each.

A fine satin fan in all the prettiest evening shades, at 35c; sold elsewhere as high as \$1.

Ladies' Fancy Hose, 25c a Pair.

Ladies' full-fashioned, regular black hose, solid ground with stripe patterns, at 25c; sold elsewhere at 40c.

GLOVE DEPARTMENT.

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